ABSTRACT

An image transformation apparatus, image transformation method and recording medium which carries out contraction processing on image data stored in an image memory. For contracting an image, an image transformation apparatus (100) is provided with a contraction work memory (115a) capable of storing an amount of data of one unit block before contraction, a contraction work column memory (115b) capable of storing one column of the unit block and a contraction work line memory (115c) capable of storing data corresponding to one line of the image after contraction.